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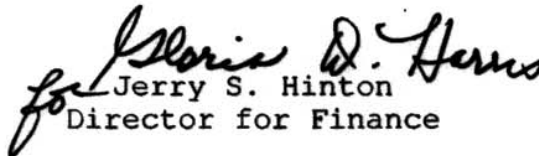
DFAS-DFM

**MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)**

**SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding
Special Duty Assignment Pay (SDAP) (DFAS Item J-71)**

Attached is Interim Change 31-02 to Chapter 8 of the Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. It has various effective dates that may be determined by reviewing the bibliography for the affected paragraph. This change affects SDAP entitlement for reserve personnel on active duty, documents an additional SDAP level, and modifies rules applicable when SDAP is phased out for certain military specialties.

We have evaluated your comments on the proposed change and included your comments where appropriate. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate procedural modifications to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.


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Director for Finance

Attachment
As stated

cc: OUSD(C) (ODCFO) (FP)
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Special Duty Assignment Pay**1. Replace subparagraph 080104.B with the following:**

B. The Secretary of the Military Department concerned may deny entitlement of special duty assignment pay to reserve members on active duty for less than 181 days. In the absence of such denial, enlisted members of the Reserve Components are eligible to receive special duty assignment pay when on active duty, if otherwise qualified.

2. Change the SDAP levels and rates in subparagraph 080105.B to read as follows:

<u>Special Duty Assignment</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
SD-1	\$ 55
SD-2	110
SD-3	165
SD-4	220
SD-5	275
SD-6	375 (for production recruiters only)
SD-7	350 (effective February 12, 2001)

3. Change subparagraph 080202.B.5 to read:

5 AFI 36-3017 (reference(z))

4. Change Table 8-2 as follows:

a. Add "(note 3)" to the end of the clause in column E of rule 25.

b. Add the following note to the end of the table:

3. The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management Policy) may waive the SDAP termination limits and prescribe other rates and time limits for specific situations.

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5. Replace the bibliography for Chapter 8 with the following:

Chapter 08—Special Pay, Proficiency Pay and Special Duty Assignment Pay—
Enlisted Members

0801—Entitlement Provisions and Policy	37 U.S.C. 307 DoD Instruction 1304.27, June 14,1996
080104.B	DoD Instruction 1304.27, Change 1, March 25,1998
080105.B	ASD(FMP) Memo, February 12, 2001
Table 8-2 Note 3	ASD(FMP) Memo, November 23, 1999